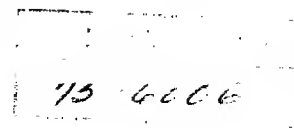


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COMMISSION ON WHITE HOUSE FELLOWSHIPS
THE WHITE HOUSE



December 15, 1975

Dear Mr. Colby:

The fourteen members of the 1975-76 class of White House Fellows, who began their assignments here on the second of September, were chosen from among 2,307 applicants to serve as special assistants to members of the Cabinet and the President's principal staff. In addition to these full-time responsibilities, the Fellows, as you may know, pursue an intensive education program designed to provide them with an enlarged awareness of the operations and policy problems of government and to expose them to a wide range of current issues and points of view.

As a significant part of their education program, we would be delighted if you could meet with them sometime during the latter part of December or the month of January to discuss the role and responsibilities of the Central Intelligence Agency.

All meetings with the Fellows are off-the-record to encourage the fullest sort of discussion. Usually they would ask you to make some initial comments and then open the meeting for questions and a free exchange of ideas and views. A luncheon or dinner meeting hosted by the Fellows is often, we find, most convenient, but a session at another hour can also be arranged.

For your information, I am enclosing our brochure, highlighting the Fellows' biographies, and a list of their job assignments, as well as a copy of my biography.

I hope it will be possible for you to meet with the 1975-76 White House Fellows, and will look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

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